

CURRICULUM ROAD MAP –BTEC ANIMAL CARE

YEAR 10

TERM 1

Introduction to Animal Care

Key concepts:
Working Safety with animals
Animal welfare
Animal care industry



TERM 2

Component 1: Animal Behaviour

Key Concepts:
Natural vs learned behaviour
Behavioural Indicators



TERM 3

Component 1: Safe Animal Handling

Key Concepts:
Safe handling techniques
Risk Assessment



TERM 4

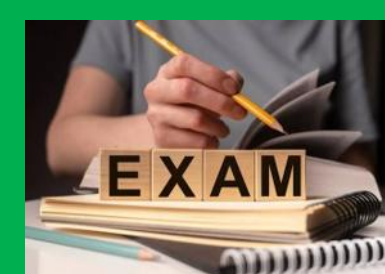
Component 1 Assessment Preparation

Key concepts:
Planning handling procedures
Evaluating responses



TERM 5

Component 1 Set Assignment



TERM 6

Introduction to component 2: Animal Accommodation

Key Concepts:
Purpose of accommodation
Housing requirements



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YEAR 11

TERM 1

Component 2:
Housing and
Accommodation

Key concepts:
Species specific
housing
Comfort and Welfare
Environmental
Enrichment



TERM 2

Component 2:
Maintaining
Animal
Accommodation

Key concepts:
Cleaning
procedures
Infection control
Safe use of
equipment



TERM 3

Component 2 Set
Assignment



TERM 4

Component 3:
Animal Health and
Welfare

Key Concepts:
Good and poor
health
Welfare needs
Disease
transmission



TERM 5

Component 3:
Health, Welfare and
Ethics

Key concepts:
Animal use in
society
Ethical
considerations



TERM 6

Component 3:
External
Examination

Key concepts:
Retrieval practice
Exam technique
Application of
knowledge

